

# Worcestershire County Council: Waste Disposal

## Disposal of Flood Damaged Household Waste

If a resident's insurance company has not made any arrangements for the disposal of flood damaged items from their domestic property, they can dispose of this at their local Household Recycling Centre (HRC).

During the flood period Worcestershire residents who have been flooded and want to use a commercial vehicle (up to 3.5 tonnes in weight), van or trailer to take their flood damaged items to their local HRC, can collect a '**flood permit**' from their local flood information hub / library.

This '**flood permit**' allows the resident to use a commercial vehicle (up to 3.5 tonnes in weight), van or trailer to take their flood damaged household items to their local HRC to dispose of them. The 'flood permit' can be used any number of times to dispose of flood damaged items from the residents home.

For details of Worcestershire Household Recycling Centres:

[http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory/62/tips\\_household\\_recycling\\_centres/category/263/categoryInfo/30](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory/62/tips_household_recycling_centres/category/263/categoryInfo/30)

Worcestershire County Council will continue to make arrangements for part time Household Recycling Centres in Tenbury and Upton to be open on additional days during the flood recovery period. To find out which additional days the sites are open, please go online:

[http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory\\_record/5386/tenbury\\_wells](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory_record/5386/tenbury_wells) for Tenbury and

[http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory\\_record/5387/upton-upon-severn](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory_record/5387/upton-upon-severn) for Upton.

For information about the Household Recycling Centres, please go online:

[http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory/62/tips\\_household\\_recycling\\_centres/category/263/categoryInfo/30](http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/directory/62/tips_household_recycling_centres/category/263/categoryInfo/30)

## Commercial Waste

Waste arising from any business CANNOT be disposed of at any of Worcestershire's Household Recycling Centre (HRCs). If the insurance company has not made any arrangements for the disposal of flood damaged items from the business then the local Borough, City and District Councils have been offering assistance to businesses in disposing of their waste.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE ARE DIFFERENT ARRANGEMENTS IN PLACE FOR RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES IN HEREFORDSHIRE AND SHROPSHIRE.**